



The State Bar of California Application for Appointment To the Fee Arbitration Department

Arbitrator appointments are volunteer appointments. Although an appointment is customarily for a one-year term, volunteers serve at the pleasure of the Board of Governors and may serve more than one term.

I am volunteering to be a: ☐ Lawyer Arbitrator ☐ Non-Lawyer Arbitrator

Personal Information

Name (please print or type)

Mailing Address

City

State

Zip Code

County

Office Address (if different)

County

City

State

Zip Code Daytime Telephone

Have you been a party to any civil or criminal litigation or have you been subject to any professional discipline? If so, please explain.

(Attach additional sheets if necessary.)

Employment/ Professional Experience

List law practice or employment experience for the last five years. Include current or prior employers, dates of service, and types of experience.

Employer Name and Address

Dates Employed

Nature of Practice/Experience

Date admitted in California

Size of Firm

State Bar number

Type of law practiced:

☐ Civil ☐ Criminal ☐ Other: _____

Bar Status

Are you an Active Member of the State Bar? Yes ☐ No ☐

Are you a member in good standing? Yes ☐ No ☐

Volunteer Work

List present and prior membership or experience in professional organizations or associations, honors, licenses, publications or specific accomplishments which you consider significant and which may be important in considering your qualifications. Membership on State Bar committees, sections, etc. should also be included. (Attach additional sheets if necessary.)

Entity	Dates Served	Nature of Service
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Educational Background

College, University or Law School	Major Studies	Degree, Diploma, License or Certificate	Dates Attended
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Appointment Related Information

To what extent (how far and how often) are you willing to travel? _____

How many days per month are you willing to devote to this appointment? (Circle one) 1 2 3 4 5

Are you willing and able to hold arbitrations at night?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Why are you interested in becoming an arbitrator? (Attach additional sheets if necessary.) _____

Reference Information

How or from whom did you hear about this appointment? _____

Please furnish the names, addresses and telephone numbers of three references who are familiar with your professional or service work. If you are an attorney, two of the references should be judges or lawyers.

1. _____	2. _____	3. _____
Name	Name	Name
_____	_____	_____
Address	Address	Address
_____	_____	_____
City, State, Zip, Phone	City, State, Zip, Phone	City, State, Zip, Phone

Unless otherwise noted, I authorize the investigation of all statements made in this application, including contacting employers and references. I state under penalty of perjury that all my statements on this application and any attachments are true, complete and correct.

Applicants signature

Dated

Please attach a separate resume or statement to this application listing any additional qualifications for appointment which you did not enter on this application. The statement should include present and prior service on non-State Bar boards, committees, bodies, associations or organizations; paralegal, legal, trial, or adjudicative experience; community involvement; honors and awards; and your reasons for applying.

PLEASE RETURN COMPLETED APPLICATIONS TO:

**Mandatory Fee Arbitration Program
State Bar of California
180 Howard Street
San Francisco, CA 94105**